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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The undersigned respectfully requests status information regarding the above-identified patent application. The last correspondence from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, mailed March 2, 2007 was a DECISION ON PETITION which was GRANTED.

Today, October 12, 2007, a voice mail message from the U.S. Patent Office concerning this application was left for the undersigned asking whether "a response" had been filed in this application. From the message it was difficult to understand the caller's name and no return telephone number was left. An attempt to reach the last supervisor of record in the application, Mr. Stanley Silverman, was unsuccessful, but a message was left by the undersigned explaining the situation and asking for a return call.

Since the last correspondence from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, mailed March 2, 2007 was a DECISION ON PETITION which was GRANTED, the message left by the USPTO is puzzling since an Office action responding to the Amendment submitted with the Petition to Revive was and still is expected.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee for this request to Deposit Account 04-1928 (E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

Respectfully submitted,



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